Dear FDA Commissioner, I am writing to express my opposition to IPMs proposed new rule and guidance or genetically engineered (GE) foods. We oppose the 13 days agency's voluntary labeling and notification proposals in support of all the points in affect citizen's petition currently before the agency (docket No. 00N-1396, and 00D 1598). All GE foods should be labeled so I am

informed and have a choice.

GE foods should not be assumed to be "generally recognized as safe" and should have mandatory pre-market safety testing

There should be a moratorium on GE foods until long-term studies show they are safe for human health and the environment.

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(Additional Personal Comments:) ##E Deadlines: Name BARRY GMO labeling - March 19, 2001

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